

Attend  
Tower Dance!

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## Just Nine Days Until Coronation

"Miss Tower of 1947" Will  
Receive Crown at Annual  
Tower Dance.

### Five Candidates Named

Each Ticket to Dance to Become  
Ballot on Which Men Vote  
Their Choice.

It is only nine days until "Miss Tower, 1947" will be crowned! The votes cast at the annual Tower dance, February 1, will determine which of the popular and attractive young ladies pictured on this page shall reign as queen.

The five candidates were presented to the student body during the half of the Springfield-Maryville basketball game last Friday, climaxing a ten-day period of secrecy. The five women are the ones who received the highest number of votes in the preliminary contest held Wednesday, January 8. More than forty received votes in the contest.

The night of the dance each man enrolled as a student in the College, using his ticket as a ballot, will vote for the lady who is his choice for Tower Queen.

Members of the Tower staff have been kept busy juggling writing assignments and special committee duties connected with the dance, but reports from the following committees point to the Tower dance as an event of major significance.

#### Members of Committees.

Publicity—John Henggeler, chairman, Zola Million, Virginia Ann George, Lois Gordon; invitations—Irene Proctor, chairman, Paul Gates, Marilyn Partridge; dance programs—Catherine Aldrich, chairman, Betty McCoven, Lydia

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## Group From College Attend Press Meet

Northwest Missourian is  
Member of Press  
Association.

Members of the Northwest Missouri Press Association held their fifty-seventh annual convention at the Hotel Robidoux, St. Joseph, January 10 and 11. The Northwest Missourian is a member newspaper of the association.

Representing the Northwest Missouri staff at the two-day convention were Miss Violette Hunter, faculty editor, and Miss Mattie Dykes, faculty adviser.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College; Dr. M. C. Cunningham, dean of the faculty; Mr. Harold Neese, business manager, and Mr. Everett Brown, director of the Division of Field Service, attended the sessions on Friday.

Mr. J. N. Sayler, chairman of the Mathematics Department, and Mrs. Sayler attended the press banquet in the Crystal Room, Friday evening.

Highlighting the Friday sessions was a talk on Soviet Russia by Mr. Robert W. Reed, news editor of the Kansas City Star. Discussing the tour of Russia and other European countries he made last spring with a press group under the auspices of the war department, Mr. Reed asserted that the iron curtain between Russia and the western democracies is in reality a mental curtain.

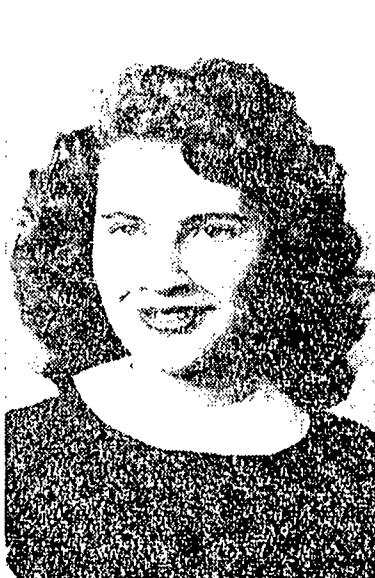
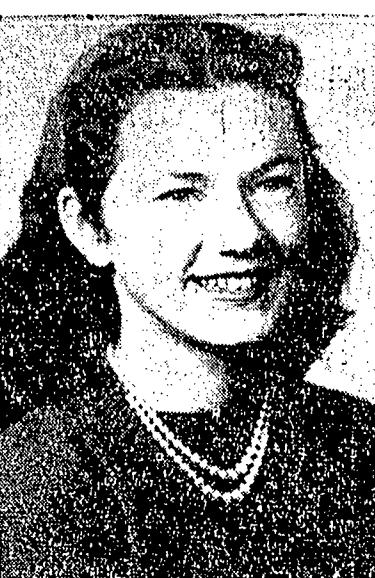
"The Russians we met were very congenial and personal relations with them were most agreeable, but we couldn't get them to talk to us about Russian policy. They were unwilling to meet us on a 'mind-to-mind' basis," said Mr. Reed.

Masters of the art of infiltration, the Russians have set up Communist parties in all European countries and their leaders are natives of the country in which the party is established, according to the newspaper editor. However, the money and the direction come from inside of Russia, he maintained.

"An understanding of foreign policy is one of the greatest needs of American citizens today," said Mr. Reed. "We should not turn our back on Europe."

The problem of penetrating the mental curtain which separates the peoples of Russia and those of the western countries should not be too difficult, believes Mr. Reed. The people of Russia and the people of America have similar traits and are not too far apart in their views of world affairs.

Under the direction of Mr. Merrill Chilcote, news editor of the St. Joseph News Press and president of the Northwest Missouri Press association, all sessions, including two luncheons, a tea, and a banquet, were well planned, and enjoyable. The sessions were concluded Saturday noon.



Which One Is Your Choice? One of these will be crowned "Miss Tower, 1947" at the annual scoop dance

sponsored by the Tower staff, Saturday night, February 1. Chosen by the men students the candidates

are Mary Garrett, Maryville, junior; Martha Lewis, Clarinda, Iowa, senior; Joyce Heck, Mound City, sophomore; Margaret Fisher, Maryville, freshman; and Mary Pat Brazzell, Hatfield, sophomore. The Tower

queen will be crowned by Manley Thomson, Agency, editor of the yearbook.

### Mrs. Vera Partch, Former College Instructor, Dies

Word has been received in Maryville of the death of Mrs. Vera Howard Partch, wife of Clarence E. Partch, January 20, at her home in St. Louis, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Partch were both members of the College faculty. Mrs. Partch taught at the Garrett school, a laboratory school connected with the College. Mr. Partch was head of the industrial arts department at the college and offered the first course in guidance that was ever given in a college in Missouri.

### Dr. Sutton Will Be Maryville Speaker

School Man Is Sent Out by Reader's Digest on His Lecture Tour.

Dr. Willis A. Sutton, superintendent emeritus of the Atlanta, Georgia, public schools and former president of the National Education Association, will come to Maryville, January 27, and will speak that night at the Methodist Church on "The Battle for America." A dinner meeting there will be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of Maryville. Three service clubs, Rotary, Kiwanis, and Lions are cooperating. After the dinner his address will be given in the main auditorium. Teachers of town and county and other citizens are invited to come to this meeting.

Tuesday night, January 28, he will address the Knights of the Hickory Stick in St. Joseph. Wednesday night he will speak at Shenandoah, Iowa, where arrangements are made through Superintendent L. A. Logan of the Shenandoah Schools.

Thursday at noon he will address the Rotary Club in Kansas City, and Friday night he will address school men and school board members of Central Missouri at Warrensburg.

Dr. Sutton is sent here as a guest lecturer of the Reader's Digest. Dr. Uel W. Lamkin, president emeritus of the College, has made the necessary arrangements to bring this noted lecturer to this section of the country to benefit all who listen to his speech on "The Battle for America."

Dr. Sutton is sent by the Reader's Digest throughout the United States

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### Composer-Pianist Demonstrates Work

Henry Cowell Spends Two Days on Campus With Student Groups.

Spending two days on the campus, Mr. Henry Cowell delighted both faculty and students with his musical compositions.

Mr. Cowell presented a program of his own compositions and an interesting autobiography in assembly on January 9. Compositions played by Mr. Cowell were "Deep Tides," "List of the Reel," "Aeolian Harp," and "Advertising." He lectured to the humanities and music classes on January 9 and 10.

Unusual techniques enter into the compositions and into the playing of Mr. Cowell. For example, in "Deep Tides," the great rolling pull of the deep tide is indicated by low bass chords with so many notes in them that they are played with the whole arm below the elbow instead of merely with the fingers. The fist plays an important part in "Advertising." To obtain the eerie effect of an Aeolian harp, the composer plucked the strings of the Steinway grand piano instead of using the keys in the conventional manner.

Mr. Cowell began to play the piano while he was very young and had given recitals before he was eight. He decided when he was eight or nine to become a composer, and at the age of eleven began to write opera.

Mr. Cowell said that he composed more than a hundred compositions before he received training. Some musicians heard him, and he began his formal education at the University of California.

The composer said that he was known as a modernist and a radical. He believes a composer should devise a unique approach, and not use just one set of chords.

Mr. Cowell has made several tours of Europe, playing in such cities as Warsaw, Leipzig, and Berlin.

He spends the fall and winter in Fresno, California, where he does most of his composing. His summer home is in New York City. He is making a tour at present through the United States, spending two or three days on each college campus he visits.

During the war, Mr. Cowell was

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### Business Law Class Holds Trial

"I object."

"Objection overruled."

"Do you swear to tell the truth, the whole truth?"

"I object your honor!"

"Mr. Basford, I fine you \$100 for contempt of court."

"Order in the court room!"

These remarks and other familiar and unfamiliar law terms echoed down the lower halls of the College from December 18 to 20, as Mr. Sterling Surrey's Business Law class participated in a mock trial, bringing the aspects of a court room to the class room.

The court room was called to order by Mary Apley and proceedings began for the formation of a jury. Members of the class were called before the court and questioned concerning their familiarity with the facts of the case and the plaintiff, Mr. Darrell Foster, their prejudices formed, if any, and their name, age, and occupation. Janet Drennan, Iris Wehril, Margaret Wade, and Sarah Jane Huggins were removed from the jury when they admitted that they were minors. The final jury members were Dewey Drennan, foreman, Rjean Black, Shirley Stevens, Bruce Mitchell, Jeanne Taylor, Betty Stephenson, Roger Farmer, Helen Spangler, Leo Strohm, Louis Watkins, and Manley Thompson.

Other participants in the case were as follows:

Presiding Judge: Mr. Surrey.

Attorneys for Plaintiff: Raymond and Richard Basford.

Attorneys for Defense: Charlotte Spainhower, Harvey Lund.

The Defendant: Buckley Corporation.

The Plaintiff: Darrell Foster.

Clerk: Mary Apley.

Court Reporter: Raymond Schardein.

Witnesses: Gene Polk, Louise Straight, J. D. Rush, Arthur Anderson, Una Claypool, and Betty Ferguson.

In an interview with reporters, Judge Surrey summed up the case of Foster vs. Buckley Corporation in the following words, "Mr. Darrell Foster, former auditor for the Buckley Manufacturing Corporation, brought suit against that company, its officers, and directors. Mr. Foster transferred certain properties to the aforementioned company, but brought suit to set aside the transfer of these properties on the grounds of duress. (Duress is the inability to exercise one's will freely at the time of the formation of an agreement because of fear, usually the result of misconduct on the part of the other party.) A prominent official of the Buckley Corporation stated that Mr. Foster had tampered with the accounts of the concern. Specific shortages were found. Officials of the company had suggested to Mr. Foster that he better make a settlement. The speaker furthermore advised that although Mr. Foster was given an opportunity to be present at an audit of his accounts, he did not appear. The technicality of the whole case is: 'Did Mr. Foster transfer his

property to the Buckley Corp. under duress? Were the threats or constraints sufficient to overcome the will of the party bringing the action?'

Note to readers: See Mr. Surrey for translation.

As the trial opened, Mr. McClurg, attorney for the Plaintiff, presented his case to the jury, and called to the stand the first witness, Miss Una Claypool, who testified that Mr. Foster's character was unquestionable. The second witness, Mr. Anderson, executive of the Corporation, admitted making the statement to Mr. Foster that "You'd better settle or we will take you to court." The testimony of the next witness intensified the jury's interest in the case, as Miss Betty Ferguson, junior accountant of the Corporation, told the jury of her acquaintance with the plaintiff, Mr. Foster, her association with him in the office, and of his honesty and capability. Mr. Gene Polk, an eminent psychiatrist, testified that Mr. Foster was undoubtedly suffering from a mental disease at the time of the deficit in his books, not duress. Miss Louise Straight was also called to the witness stand to testify regarding Mr. Foster's character. She admitted that through her association with the plaintiff outside of the office she had discovered that his character was "not so good as had been painted."

Summaries were presented to the jury by Mr. Harvey Lund and Mr. Basford, and the jury went into a conference. Judgment was for the defendant.

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## THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

## RELIGION IN COLLEGE

Religiously, college life is unique in its unnaturalness, its divorce from home and common life, its associations and intellectual difficulties. Students may be classed as loyal, half-hearted, and nominal churchmen, or as hostile to religion. Each agency now at work has its strength and its weakness. The local church represents normal religion, its relation to history, the community, and the whole life of the students; but geared as it is, it is not adapted to meet the student's intellectual needs, and it cuts across the unity of college life.

The first task necessary toward making religion a vital factor in the life of the college student educational, because it is definitely operative in the art of making living an art."

The second task is missionary in process and character. It is the training of college students as laymen and special religious workers for places of responsibility and leadership.

The third task is religious. And the one purpose of this objective is that every student shall be faced with his relationship to God, the conservation of the highest values, the realization of good character, and the achievement of Christian personality.

The final responsibility is practical in nature. The Christian faith is fulfilled in Christian life and action, and is relevant to all those issues in society which involve the welfare of men and women, complementary to the understanding of the objectives and demands of the Christian life is the actual realization of Christian ideals and conduct.

JOSEPH H. WAGNER  
Department of English

## GETTING OUT THE COLLEGE PAPER

Few students realize the complicated process through which a news item must go before it becomes a printed news story. News is gathered by reporters from members of the faculty, from college officials, and from the students.

After the essentials of a news story are gathered—the who? what? when? where? and why?—is the job of the reporter to place the "copy" in the student editor's basket.

Copy that is handed in by the reporter must be read to eliminate errors in grammar, to correct punctuation, and to see that it conforms to journalistic ethics. Before the copy can go to the printers, head-line must be written for the story.

Deadline for the news is Friday evening before publication date. By this time all copy must be sent down to the printer. Long galleys of the printed material in single columns are prepared by the printer. The galleys are sent back to the Northwest Missouri office to be read again, then they are sent back to the printer's office until all errors are corrected.

Monday evening the faculty editor, the faculty adviser, and the student editor cut away the margins of these proofs, or galley, and then paste them on a "dummy" copy of the paper in order to "make up" the "Northwest Missourian." Hitting and cutting are necessary before the proof finds its final position, and often it is necessary to save a news story until the next week because it just does not fit into the pattern.

Tuesday afternoon the same people go to the printing office to work with the printer on "making up" the paper and to read page proof.

News stories that cannot be used are carefully saved for the next paper. An effort is made to use these items that would be out of date by the next week, but when this is not possible, the items are "killed" and returned to the printer and he destroys the type that has been set for these stories.

MYRTLE LEE BURNS  
Editor.

The snow had begun in the gloaming  
And busily all the night  
Had been heaping fields and highways  
In a silence deep and white.

The First Snowfall.

From: The President  
To: The Students

These are the five things which I ask you to do this year.

- Determine to make at least one outstanding contribution to the welfare of your College.
- Support the special days and events that are sponsored by your College and participate in some of them.
- Actively participate in at least one campus activity running throughout the year.
- Assure yourself and your College that your conduct in everything you do creates the best public relations attitude toward your College.
- Organize your College life so that you shall improve the quality of scholarship which represents your record in the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College.

J. W. JONES  
President.

## Calendar

January 23, Thursday  
W. A. A.—7:00-8:00.  
F. T. A.—8:00-9:00, Den.  
Varsity Villagers Carnival.  
Halls, 103, 101.

January 24, Friday  
A. U. P.—7:30, Dream Kitchen.  
Sigma Sigma Sigma Informal party—8:30-11:30, Den.

January 25, Saturday  
Game, Maryville vs. Cape Girardeau, Here.

January 26, Sunday  
Sigma Tau Gamma formal initiation—Country Club.

January 27, Monday  
String Ensemble—7:00, Room 205.  
A. C. E.—7:00, Horace Mann.  
Kappa Omicron Phi—7:00, Home Economics House.

January 28, Tuesday  
Senate—6:45, Den.  
Dance Club—7:00, Room 114.

January 29, Wednesday  
Dramatics Club—4:00, Room 103.  
Varsity Villagers Council—7:00, Room 103.  
Independents Club—7:30, Room 207.

Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:15, Den.

January 30, Thursday  
W. A. A.—7:00-8:30.

January 31, Friday  
Game, Maryville vs. Rolla, Here.

February 1, Saturday  
Scoop Dance—9:00-1:00, Room 114.

February 3, Monday  
Pepper Meeting—5:00, Room 113.  
String Ensemble—7:00, Room 205.

Veterans Club—7:00, Room 103.  
International Relations Club—7:00-8:00, Den.  
Newman Club—7:30, Room 207.  
Home Economics Club—7:30, H. E. House.

Student Christian Association—8:00-9:00, Den.

February 4, Tuesday  
Senate—6:45, Den.  
Dance Club—7:00, Room 114.

February 5, Wednesday  
Dramatics Club—4:00, Room 103.  
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:15, 614 W. 2nd.

Sigma Tau Gamma—7:30, Den.

February 6, Thursday  
W. A. A.—7:00-8:30, Room 114.

## At the Theaters

Missouri:  
Thur.-Fri.-Sat., Jan. 23-25  
Double Feature Program—  
"Rainbow Island," Starring Dorothy Lamour and Eddie Bracken. Also, "Great Stage Coach Robbery," with Red Ryder. Sun.-Mon.-Tues.-Wed., Jan. 26-29.  
"Nobody Lives Forever," with John Garfield and Geraldine Fitzgerald.  
Thurs.-Fri.-Sat., Jan. 30-31, Feb. 1.  
Eleanor Parker, Paul Henreid, and Alexis Smith in "Of Human Bondage." Also, Gene Autry in "Melody Ranch."  
Sun.-Mon.-Tues., Feb. 2-5  
"Big Sleep," with Lauren Bacall, and Humphrey Bogart.  
Tues.—  
Thurs., Jan. 23.  
"Child of Divorce," with Sharyn Moffett and Regis Toomey.  
Fri.-Sat., Jan. 24-25.  
Double Feature Program—  
"Wide Open Spaces," starring Joe E. Brown. Also, a western "Hitting the Trail."  
Sun.-Mon.-Tues., Jan. 26-28.  
"Undercurrent," with Katherine Hepburn, and Robert Taylor.  
Wed.-Thurs., Jan. 29-30.  
"Shadow of a Doubt," with Joseph Cotten.  
Fri.-Sat., Jan. 31, Feb. 1.  
"Step by Step," starring Lawrence Tierney and Anne Jeffreys. Also, a Hop-Along Cassidy western.  
Sun.-Mon., Feb. 2-3.  
"Sister Kenny," with Rosalind Russell, Alexander Knox.  
Tues.-Wed.-Thurs., Feb. 4-6.  
Edwin G. Robinson and Loretta Young in "The Stranger."

Mrs. Florence Abary Lawhead, class of 1942, visited friends at the College during the pre-holiday season. Dr. and Mrs. Lawhead have been living in Mt. Ayr, Iowa, for some time where he has a dental office.

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## Bulletin Board

## A. A. U. P. Meeting

Members of the American Association of University Professors will meet at the Dream Kitchen, Friday 24, at 6:00 p. m. Dr. June Cozine will appear on the program, giving portions of her dissertation study at the University of Chicago.

## Community Teachers Meet

On Wednesday night, January 29, members of the Community Teachers Association will meet in the Bearcat Den at six o'clock.

## Campus Miniature Chow Hall Business Is Good

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN. — (AP)—Bob White is more than just a whistle around the University of Minnesota campus these days. His rolling "Cracker Box," a jeep-trailer combination lunch wagon, has been doing a lot for hungry students this fall.

White ran the gauntlet of state, city and campus agencies that wouldn't approve the project until he had bought eight licenses (including a "trailer peddler's license," in these mobile times). The jeep he bought from the war surplus commodities board.

Now he starts at 8:30 each night with his apples, oranges, candy bars, sandwiches and coffee to satisfy student bedtime appetites. White buys his sandwiches and coffee from a restaurant so he has no cooking to do in the 6 by 10 trailer, which he bought minus the wheelchair, side and conveniences for storekeeping.

The miniature chow hall business will continue, White says, as long as it is profitable and not too many new licenses are needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Huff, graduates of the College, announce the birth of a daughter, Jane, who was born December 13, in St. Joseph. Mrs. Huff was the former Miss Frances Shamberger of near Maryville.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, and Mr. Everett W. Brown, director of field service, attended the all day meeting of the Mercer County Teachers in Princeton, Tuesday, January 21.

Mr. Jones and Mr. Brown participated in the program presented to the teachers.

Mr. Harry Haun, a graduate of the College, has accepted the position as superintendent of schools in Bolckow.

During the war, Mr. Haun worked in the Red Cross organization. Before the war he was instructor in Skidmore and Graham Schools.

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## Senior Officers

of the "M" Club. He served in the Army Air Corps as gunner and crew chief.

Clara Judson, senior class secretary, comes from St. Joseph and lives at Residence Hall. Her major is primary education; her minor, home economics. She is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, the Buchanan County Club, and the Association of Childhood Education, of which she is secretary. Miss Judson is interested in Girl Scouting and all activities connected with it. She has been a camp counselor.

Jeanne Stewart, class treasurer, is from Hamburg, Iowa, and lives at Residence Hall. Her major is social science, her minor, sociology. Miss Stewart is chaplain of the Alpha Sigma Alpha and president of the Green and White Peppers organization.

## What Your Senate Does

## OFFICERS

Robert Davis ..... President  
Janet Drennan ..... Vice-President  
Jay Roberts ..... Secretary  
John Miller ..... Treasurer  
Clem Myers ..... Parliamentarian

## Class Representatives

Senior Senators: Robert Davis, Paul Wilson, Clem Myers, Janet Drennan, Martha Lewis, and Kenneth Lepley.  
Junior Senators: Doris Polk, Bill Vest, Gene Polk, Dean Hoshorn, and Mercede Myers, and Mary Garrett.

Sophomore Senators: Wilmer Martin, Joan Miller, Jay Roberts, Roberta Linke, and Raymond Nally.

Freshman Senator: William Elam.

Jeanne Stewart was given permission to sell student-faculty directories.

Tuesday, January 14th.

The following members were absent: Clem Myers, Joan Miller, Gene Polk, Bill Vest, and Ken Lepley. The sponsor present was Mr. Wright.

Alpha Phi Omega asked the Student Senate to make an inquiry as to the steps the school has taken toward fire prevention. They also offered their assistance, if needed.

Alpha Phi Omega was given permission to use the Bearcat Den on the evening of January 20, 1947.

The possibility of having dances after every basketball game was discussed. There will be a dance after every game if it is possible for the hours for the girls to be made later on evenings after the games.

## NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

- The Springfield Plan Alexander Alland
- Dictionary of Education Carter Victor Good
- Learning to Read Through Experience Mrs. Lillian Lamoreaux
- Strawberry Girl Lois Lenski
- Science and Scientists in the Netherlands Indies Peter Honig
- Man: an Autobiography George Pipkey Stewart
- Microbes of Merv Otto Rahn
- Alcoholics are Sick People Robert Victor Seeger
- Machine—Tool Work William Payson Turner
- New Crops for the New World Charles Morrow Wilson
- Business Filing E. Bassett
- Welding James Ambrose Moyer
- Planning Your Home Clarence Whiting Dunham
- Listening to Music Creatively Edwin John Stringham
- Major American Poets Harry Hayden Clark
- Mr. Wilmer Robert Lawson
- Harvest of the Lowlands Jan Greshoff
- Brandeis Alpheus Thomas Mason
- Rashi Maurice Libner
- Experiment "E" Leon Szalet

## The Stroller

The Stroller, longing for a mess of good baked rabbit, had decided to go hunting. He got his gun, but decided to go to the Farmers' phone to talk to his girl before he went out to shoot bunnies. There, big as watch, right against the Faculty Exchange, he saw a sign which changed all his plans. Dr. Ruth Lane was advertising the fact that she could supply all the rabbits anybody might want. Why go hunting when he could buy a rabbit? But he is still wondering how Dr. Lane kills the rabbits and whether she is killing them to protect that garden of hers from the nibbling little animals.

How it happened the Stroller does not know, but he thinks perhaps some people just cannot tell faculty women from students. He is sure, though, that this thing actually happened: one faculty woman got two votes for Tower Queen! He should like to tell who it was, but refrains for obvious reasons.

Strolling has been a little hard this week, and so the Stroller called in the help of The Roving Reporter who was going about asking the following question:

What is your greatest ambition in life?

The following are some of the answers he received:

Eddie Reece, freshman, Commerce

"To be a CPA \$25 an hour with a summer home in the Ozarks and a winter home in Miami, Florida"—nothing elaborate of course!

Claire Wallace, senior, English

"To get married!" (All this and Heaven, too!)

Rex Adams, senior, Business Administration:

"To tell the truth I haven't given it much thought—I guess I've been too busy with my studies." (We're glad to see one conscientious student.)

Mr. Surrey, instructor in Commerce department:

Quote—To RETIRE—Unquote

Bill Garrett, freshman, Miscellaneous:

"To continue with my policy of receiving 'E's' in all my studies. Later on I would like to become a physicist dealing with atomic research." (Here's a boy that's going places.)

Jane Doe, freshman, Education:

"To have my brother change his name to Jack!"

(Right here we ran out of cooperative students; excuse us please!)

## Health Department

The Immunization Campaign which has been under way at Horace Mann for the past two months reached a climax on December 9, 1946. On that day the clinic for the High School was opened. Seventy-eight students received smallpox vaccinations and eighty-three received the triple combined serum containing diphtheria, whooping cough, and tetanus. This number included approximately two-thirds of the high school student body. On January 9, 1947, immunization was carried into the grades and students from the nursery school to the junior high school were included. Eighty-four children received smallpox vaccinations and ninety-six received the triple serum from this group. The campaign has been very successful.

All new students should know that a physical examination is required of each enrolled student at the College. There are one hundred and five students enrolled in the winter quarter who were not enrolled in the fall quarter and thus will be required to have the physical. Physical examinations are being given in the Health Office in the gymnasium from 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. and from 1:00 p. m. to 4:30 p. m. One may report to the nurse on duty without appointment.

The Guidance Center at the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College is located in Room 119, Administration Building. All persons who may have any questions regarding the Veterans Administration Program which come under the jurisdiction of the Guidance

# Social Activities

## Twenty-two New Members Receive Their Initiation

### College Weddings

#### Kisslinger-Hosher

Gertrude Kisslinger of Maryville became the bride of Dean Hosher of Westboro at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon December 29, at the home of her parents. Dr. J. A. Baldwin performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kisslinger of Maryville. The bridegroom is a son of Charles Hosher, sr., of Westboro.

Mrs. Hosher graduated from Maryville high school and is at present a student at the College. She is a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority.

Mr. Hosher attended school at Westboro and since his discharge has been a student at the College. He is a member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in an apartment on North Buchanan street. They will continue their studies at the College.

#### Drennan-Jackson

The marriage of Miss Bernice Drennan, daughter of C. R. Drennan of Savannah, to Harvey Lund, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lund of Huron, South Dakota, took place December 28, in Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday, December 28, at 3:00 p.m.

Miss Janet Drennan of Maryville, sister of the bride and a student at the College, acted as maid of honor. Mr. James Bradley of Iowa City, a service friend of the groom, served as best man. The Reverend C. C. Bacon officiated the double-ring ceremony.

The bride graduated from the College in May, 1943, and received her Master's degree from the University of Missouri. She has taught commercial subjects at Hickman High School in Columbia for the past three years and now teaches at North High School in Des Moines. The bridegroom graduated from Iowa State Teachers College and received his Master's degree from Columbia University, New York. He served with the Army Air Corps and is now employed in the registration department of the Veterans Administration in Des Moines.

The bridegroom is a senior student at the College and belongs to Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity. He served with the navy air corps for two and one-half years.

#### Stoners-Robbins

The little Chapel-in-the-Woods on the campus of Texas State College for Women in Denton, Texas, was the scene of the wedding of Miss Maxine Williams of Denton, to William D. Robbins, jr., of Maryville, December 20.

After a wedding trip to Brownsville and the Gulf coast the couple will be at home at 107 Lawn avenue, Maryville.

Miss Williams was a student at North Texas State College in Denton. She is a member of the Beta Pi Gamma sorority, Junior Mary Arden, Green Jacket and College Players organizations.

Mr. Robbins attended Kemper Military school. He served for two years in the armed forces. They are now attending the College.

#### Stanton-Weeda

Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Stanton of College Springs, Iowa, announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Betty Jo Stanton, to Mr. Donald L. Weeda, son of Mrs. Nellie Weeda of Maryville. The wedding took place at 1 p.m. December 27, at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Alfred Kelsey, pastor of the United Presbyterian church in College Springs, performed the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Weeda is a graduate of College Springs high school and of the College's class of 1946. Mr. and Mrs. Weeda are members of the Phi Omega Pi, national honorary commercial fraternity. Mr. Weeda is also a member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Weeda will be in Columbus, Ohio, where Mr. Weeda will continue his studies in graduate school.

#### McDonald-Snyder

Mrs. Robin Snyder, prior to her marriage on Sunday, December 23, was Glenadine McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McDonald of Maryville. Both she and Mr. Snyder, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snyder of Gallatin, are now attending the College. Rev. Joseph Wagner performed the ceremony.

The bride is a member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and the bridegroom belongs to the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

Miss Betty Lou McDonald, sister of the bride, acted as maid-of-honor. Other attendants were Miss Kathryn Krause and Mrs. Earl Ruyf. Donald Snyder, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Fred Davis and Earl Ruyf were ushers. Miss Mary Garrett sang.

#### Coile-Cramer

On Thursday, December 26, Miss Dorothy Coile, daughter of Mrs. Mary Coile, became the bride of Mr. Charles Cramer. The bride, whose home is in Maryville, was a student in the College beginning in the fall of 1942, prior to her entrance into St. Mary's Nursing Home at Rochester, Minnesota, from which she graduated last November. She was a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority while in school here.

The groom was at the College as a student with the first group of V-12 men and is now attending law school at the University of Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Cramer are making their home in Independence.

#### Withington-Busby

The marriage of Charlotte Withington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Withington of Curtis, Nebraska, to Mr. Robert Busby, son of Mrs. Mary A. Busby of Lawrence, Kansas, took place December 31.

Mrs. Busby, whose home was formerly in Maryville, is a graduate of the School of Journalism, Missouri University.

Mr. Busby graduated from the University of Kansas and is a former member of the College faculty.

Doris Marquart attended the Cycles of 1947 at Omaha, Nebraska, Sunday, January 12.

Doris is a freshman from West Missouri.



CAMPUS SCENE IN JANUARY

### Engagements

#### Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dugdale of Huron, South Dakota, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Viola, to Richard T. McDougal, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDougal of Maryville.

Miss Viola is a graduate of Huron high school and completed two years of study at Huron College. At present she is a senior at Washington University School of Nursing, St. Louis.

Mr. McDougal graduated from Maryville high school and completed his studies at the College. In 1942 he enlisted in the army air corps and served as a flight instructor. Since his discharge he has been associated in the abstract title and insurance business with his father in Maryville.

The wedding will take place February 1, in St. Louis.

#### Stoners-Boggess

The marriage of Miss Lavonia Stoner, a former Maryville high school teacher, to Gerald W. Boggess took place the evening of December 22, at the home of the bride's parents. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stoner of Ridgeway and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Boggess also of Ridgeway. The Rev. H. E. Corbin of St. Joseph officiated.

The bride attended the University of Missouri and is a graduate of the Maryville high school and later did secretarial work in Kansas City. She now is a commerce teacher in the Ridgeway High School.

The wedding will be set for the second half of January.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Partridge of Skidmore have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. Robert M. Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barrett, of Skidmore. Miss Partridge is a student in the College. There has been no definite date set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Hasty announced the engagement of their daughter, June, to William N. Robey, son of Mrs. O. L. Robey of Maryville. The date for the wedding has not been set.

Miss Hasty is manager of the Missouri Gift and Record Shop in Maryville. Mr. Robey is a student of the College.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hartman of Greeley, Colorado, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Betty Jean, to Mr. Russell W. Peter, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Peter of King City. The wedding will be February 23. Mr. Peter is a former student of the College and was a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Redd of Albany announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis, to James Kenneth Dale of Albany. No wedding date is set. Miss Redd is a graduate of Albany High School and is now a student in the College.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Killian of Hopkins announce the engagement of their daughter, Darlene, to Eldon A. Fine of New Market, Iowa. No definite date has been set for the wedding.

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Miss Madge Jennings, a former student of the College, spent the week end of January 11-12, in Maryville visiting Myrtle Lee Burns, a senior in the College. Miss Jennings is principal of the Ammonia grade school.

Miss Jennings, who attended this College, is now teaching in the grade school at Bedford, Iowa.

### International-Relations Club Holds Discussions

#### Independent Club Gives Party in Bearcats' Den

The Cooperative Independents had a party Saturday night, January 10, in the Bearcats' Den at 8:00 p.m.

The members of the social committee, with Frances Frazier—chairman, Lee Drepas, Dick Thomas, Dorothy Harshaw, and Elizabeth Thompson, planned the party for the members. Everyone present wore some visible article of clothing backwards.

A community sing started the evening, followed by the "B. O. T. Trio." The trio was composed of Richard Palmer, Lee Drepas, and Brad Moore. An apple relay, ping pong, and a mock "Truth or Consequences" program provided entertainment.

There was dancing the remainder of the evening. Refreshments of coca and cookies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Surrey and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor chaptered the party. A photographer took pictures during the party.

The first branches of the YMCA in North America were established in Montreal and Boston in 1851.

### Alumnae and Others Have Reunion During Holidays

During the Christmas holidays four former graduates, a former student, and a senior in the College had a reunion at the home of Mrs. Lynette Weisz Menz of Oregon, Missouri.

The former graduates were Miss Maxine Heermann, teacher of physical education at Porterville, California; Mrs. Clara Allen Bryan, a commerce instructor at Panora, Iowa; Mrs. Kathryn Lentz Allen, a teacher of music in St. Joseph; and Mrs. Weng. The other two guests were Mrs. Helen Lyle McKown Parnell, and Vanda Washburn, King City.

### Two Attend Alpha Phi Omega Meeting

#### Fraternity Holds National Meeting at President Hotel, Kansas City.

Leslie Parker and Charles Green represented the Beta Upsilon chapter of Alpha Phi Omega at the national convention at Hotel President in Kansas City, December 28-29.

Representatives from many states were present to represent the 110 odd chapters, with high spirit, excellent participation, and true consecration to the job on hand," said Mr. Parker.

According to Mr. Parker, the high spot in the program was the national banquet at which Dr. H. Roe Bartle, an international leader, in tribute to his sixteen years service as national president, was given recognition.

Dr. Bartle delivered a challenging address to the assembly, and called upon Alpha Phi Omega to take an increasingly active part in promoting world peace, brotherhood, and unselfish service. Each college was challenged to increase its membership, with the goal set at more than fifty members.

The new national officers elected at the convention are as follows: National president, Dean Arno Nowotny, University of Texas; first vice president, Dr. M. C. Hayes, Northern Illinois State Teachers College; second vice president, Frank D. Wood, Georgia School of Technology; national treasurer, Delmer H. Wilson, Butler University.

Alpha Phi Omega has invited all students with former Scout work or scouting to contact any member in regard to joining the organization.

### Club Appoints Committees After Initiation Service

#### Rabbi Gordon Talks on Influence of Judaism

Rabbi Albert A. Gordon of the Temple Sinai Synagogue, Sioux City, Iowa, spoke in Assembly on January 21, on the "Influence of Judaism in the Founding of American Democracy."

Rabbi Gordon attended Wayne University in Detroit, Michigan, but graduated from the University of Cincinnati in 1937, with Phi Beta Kappa honors. He was ordained Rabbi by the Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1941.

Rabbi Gordon served as a Chaplain in the United States Army for three years, serving in New Guinea and the Philippines Islands.

Miss Locke Is Guest Speaker

Miss Martha Locke, director of Women's Activities at the College, was the guest speaker Thursday, January 9, at the Faculty Dames meeting. In her speech, which was on personnel activities, she told of the pleasures and duties of her work. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Donald Valk. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Homer T. Phillips, Mrs. William T. Garrett, and Mrs. Myron P. Rose.

Refreshment committee—John Pope, Marcella Chandler, Earl Pope, James Hinckley, Letty Pinzon, Victoria Torrijos, and Anna Vernaza. Refreshments were served after the initiation ceremony.

### Four in Dramatics Club Present Play

#### "If Men Played Cards as Women Do" Provides Lively Fun.

Members of the Dramatics Club were entertained at the regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, January 15, by four of their group. John Ward, Norman Hoffman, Bob Mann, and Glen Hansford played the cast parts in the one act comedy "If Men Played Cards as Women Do."

Action in the play was presumably a poker game, but, as the title suggests, very little card-playing was done.

John Ward played host to the others, and his directions to the maid, genuine pride in his embroidery work, and inclination to purchase cheap cigars made him the perfect host.

Norman Hoffman gained the spotlight by displaying a new and perfectly cut vest for the boys. Later, as plans to play cards were being made, he decided his beard was much too rough and proceeded to shave it off. The pantomime which followed evoked spasms of laughter from the audience.

Bob Mann showed the principle of economics, which he used in having a new hat put on his old bat and in showing his disgust at the outrageous price he paid his maid. His smoking of the cigar he had just declared as cheap and no good was his part in the shaving whiskers.

Glen Hansford's sharing a new dessert with the fellows made him quite popular, and caused a discussion of the fact that new desserts were hard to find. He was a professional card shuffler and exhibited his skill before the game started. The audience was left to guess who won the game of solitaire he had while Norman Hoffman removed the whiskers.

After some time had elapsed, the fellows got into the card game, and a spirited discussion about the value of the chips, what the funny little things on the cards were, and who dealt and bid first, followed. Their gesticulating tongues wagged until the end of the play with never a completed hand finished.

Dramatics Club is sponsored by Mrs. Romona Canton of the Speech Department. The stage crew included Helen Sutton, Betty Humphrey, George MacLellan, Richard Thomas, and Dick Palmer. Richard Huff presented the musical prelude.

### Somerville Family Gets Together for Holidays

Mr. Leslie J. Somerville, a graduate of the College who is an instructor of public school music in Albuquerque, New Mexico, spent from December 22 to January 2, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie G. Somerville.

Thursday, December 26, the Somervilles spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Phillips.

The Somerville family visited Mr. and Mrs. William D. Somerville in Sullivan December 27-29. Mr. William D. Somerville, a graduate of the College, is now operating a store in Sullivan.

Helen Toel and Sheral Gardner spent the week-end of January 17-19 at Essex, Iowa, visiting Noma Johnson, who was a student at the College last year.

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## Bearcats to Meet Cape Indians January 25 in Home Court Tilt

Game Is Crucial One and  
May Indicate Places in  
Conference Stand.

### Gene Cross May Not Play

Indians Make First Appearance  
Here Under Coaching of  
Joe McDonald

On Saturday, January 25, the Maryville Bearcats will tangle with the powerful Cape Girardeau Indians at the home court in a game that promises to do much to determine the merits of the two cage teams. The Indians have won four and lost three games this year, but they have faced some very talented aggregations in Arkansas, Texas Wesleyan, Murray State, and Kirksville. The Bearcats have been up and down all year, and the outcome of this contest will shed some light on their bid for the conference title.

Leading scorers for Cape are Herb Fulton with 87 points and Marty Radmer with 48 tallies. The Bearcats may be playing without the services of Gene Cross, high scoring forward, who has a bad charley horse as result of a fall in the last minute of play against Rockhurst. Cross performed capably against Springfield last week, but an injury such as he received often reoccurs with the slightest contact.

The probable starting lineup for Cape Girardeau will be Radmer and Upton at forwards, Klosterman at center, and McGeehan and Hager at guards. The Bearcats will have Paul Wilson and Paul Butcher at the forward posts, Howard Glavin at center, and Vincent Meyer and Gene Cross holding the guard positions. Cape and Maryville both substitute freely, indicating a spirited game.

The Indians will be making their first appearance in Maryville under the tutelage of Joe McDonald, former player at Cape who is coaching his first season at the school. Coach McDonald will call on Landgraf, McRae, Nichols, and Keller a great deal to relieve his starting five. Coach Ryland Milner will doubtless play Norbert Meyer, Don Scott, Sam Ingels, George Andrews, John Wohlford, Gene Cegleski, and Pete Younger if the situation permits.

The "B" team game will begin at 6:30.

### Varsity Villagers Will Have Basketball Teams

At the Varsity Villagers Council meeting Wednesday evening, January 15, the president, Charlotte Spainhower asked the house representatives to contact all girls and have everyone interested to report to the gymnasium, Thursday night, January 16, where Varsity Villagers basketball teams would be organized. It has been announced that anyone who knows how to play basketball and is interested is invited to join. Teams are being organized by different organizations and after a little practicing the different teams will play.

### Bearcats Lose Game To Rockhurst Hawks

Faltering in the last period after battling on even terms for most of the first half, the Maryville Bearcats lost to the Rockhurst Hawks at Kansas City Saturday, January 11, in a score 48-32. The Bearcats had the score five times in the first half, but the Hawks, paced by big Jim Costello, pulled away to win.

Costello led the scoring with 19 points. His teammate Don Martel scored 8, while Gene Cross had 7 and Paul Butcher 6 for the Bearcats. Vince Meyers played his usual splendid defensive game besides tossing in 5 points.

### W. A. A. Holds Initiation

On January 16 the W. A. A. held an initiation party for the new members. The students chosen to be new members of W. A. A. took the oath of the association, after which refreshments of apples and cookies were served.

Those who took the oath are as follows: Shirley Burton, Margaret Curry, Dorothy Carter, Marcella Chandler, Arlene Davis, Edythe Fitzwater, Ruth Holbrook, Joyce Johnson, Shirley Judy, Helen Lewis, Beulah Mercer, Mildred McMahill, Opal O'Dell, Dorothy Pennebaker, Mary Jean Sprake, Helen Fisher, and Peg Turner (a transfer member).

Preceding the initiation, seven organized basketball teams participated in games in preparation for the W. A. A. Tournament scheduled for January 20.

### Reception Is Postponed

The faculty reception for freshmen, which was to have been held during the opening week of the winter quarter, was postponed because of the delayed opening of the quarter. The reception is still to be held, but the exact date has not yet been decided upon.

### The First President's Cabinet

The cabinet of the First President of the United States was composed of the Secretary of State, Secretary of War, Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General.

### MIAA Track and Field Meet Set for March 22

KANSAS CITY—Representatives of the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association selected Columbia for the 1947 indoor track and field meet.

The event was scheduled for the Brewer field house at the University of Missouri March 22. The annual swimming meet will be held at the Rolla School of Mines February 22, and the outdoor track meet and golf and tennis contests will be held at the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, May 9 and 10.

Arthur Ellers, Washington University, was selected to continue as the conference commissioner.

Officers elected were: James W. Shannon, Southwest Missouri Teachers, Springfield, president; H. R. Dietrich, Northwest Missouri Teachers, Maryville, vice-president, and G. H. Jamison, Northeast Missouri Teachers, secretary-treasurer.

### Intramural Sport Gains in Interest

Various comments filled the air after round three was completed in intramural basketball a week ago last Wednesday, but the one heard the most concerned the surprising interest that has been shown in the games played thus far. An increasingly greater number of people are attending the contests held at the College and Horace Mann gymnasiums, and the spirited play of the participants has been proof of their interest.

Upsets, both to individuals and teams, and sensational finishes have provided the fans with some hair-raising entertainment.

Two recent games provided thrills by the second as the Beach Combers and Iowa Corn Cobs fought for second place in the Coast League, and the Hash Slingers attempted to upset the favored Gizmos in the Ivy League. The Beach Combers won 31-30 after a torrid last quarter had the fans on their feet. The Gizmos overcame a five point deficit to win 24-23 in a game that saw the lead change hands an even dozen times.

While rousing last periods were claiming the attention of the spectators the powerful Phi Sigs rode serenely along the victory trail, climaxing a four game streak with a decisive 38-14 victory over the Kilroy Kids. In the Coast League the well-balanced Atomic Men have four straight games under their belts to lead the Beach Combers by one game. The Friendly Farmers and All States are a game and a half behind, having played only three games thus far.

**Standing of Teams**

In the Ivy League, behind the Phi Sigs and Gizmos who have a perfect record, trail the Hash Slingers and Kilroy Kids, two games behind. The complete standings of the two leagues and high point men in play as of Wednesday, January 15, are as follows:

	Coast League
Phi Sigs.....	W 1 L 0
Gizmos.....	4 0
Beach Combers.....	4 0
Kilroy Kids.....	2 2
All States.....	2 1
Atomic Men.....	1 2
Horace Mann.....	1 2
Hash Slingers.....	1 2
Iowa Corn Cobs.....	1 2
Friends Farmers.....	1 2
Glavin's Lions.....	1 2
Rangers.....	1 2
Tumble Bugs.....	0 2
Independents.....	0 3

	Leading Scorers
Anderson.....	37—Phi Sigs
Wormsley.....	32—Kilroy Kids
Foster.....	27—Rockets
Gates.....	27—Gizmos
Otte.....	26—Phi Sigs
Hutson.....	24—Hash Slingers
Brown.....	24—Beach Combers
Morgan.....	21—Iowa Corn Cobs
Black.....	20—Gizmos
Cobb.....	20—Hash Slingers
R. Davis.....	20—Rangers
Lasley.....	20—Phi Sigs

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Brattleboro, Vermont, on their Christmas card, announced the birth of a daughter, Sara Elizabeth, born December 16. Mr. Johnson is a former editor of the Northwest Missourian. Mrs. Johnson is the former Miss Virginia Schulte.

The Intermediate Club had a chili supper at the home of their sponsor, Miss Mary Keith, Tuesday evening, December 10. Following the supper all participated in a gift exchange. Later in the evening the girls attended the opening basketball game of the season.

"The Savage," Savannah high school newspaper, came out in a Christmas issue mimeographed in red ink alternating with green ink for the various departments. The Christmas theme was carried throughout the paper.

### New Member to Kappa Omicron

At the meeting of the Kappa Omicron Phi, Monday, January 13, Patty Straight was initiated as a pledge. Plans were made for a "home-party" to be held at the Home Economics house January 26, at 7:00 p. m. Each member is asked to be present and bring a guest. There will be dancing, games, and refreshments.

**The First President's Cabinet**  
The cabinet of the First President of the United States was composed of the Secretary of State, Secretary of War, Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General.

### St. Benedict Ravens Win Second Victory

Bearcats Lose to Atchison  
Men on 43-39 Score in  
Close Contest.

After a spirited first half the Maryville Bearcats dropped a close decision to the St. Benedict's Ravens at Atchison, Kansas January 7, by the score of 43-39. The strong Raven finish gave them their second victory over the Bearcats this year, and their fifth without defeat this season.

The game started slowly, but in the last ten minutes of the first half Vincent Meyers, George Andrews, Sam Ingels, Gene Cross, and Don Scott hit baskets from close under to give the Bearcats a half time lead of 25-13. St. Benedict's then rallied, and led by Werba, Frett, and Rose, pulled ahead halfway through the last half. The Bearcats tied the score and went ahead at 36-35, but a basket by Rose pulled the Ravens ahead to stay.

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The fine play of dependable Vincent Meyers and hustling Sam Ingels was most noteworthy. George Wendell, Raven Captain and high scorer, was held to five points by the Bearcat centers Howard Glavin, John Wohlford, and Norbert Meyers. Vince Meyers led the "Cats" with twelve points, while Werba had 14 for the Ravens to take game honors.

### Athletic Department Has Play Night Activities

Anticipating the desire for wholesome, leisure-hour activities that the students at the college would have upon returning to school after the swiftly moving war years, President W. J. Jones selected Don Peterson, a graduate of Wisconsin University with experience in recreation, garnered through three years in Navy recreational service, to set up a recreational sports program under the Physical Education department headed by Mr. E. A. Davis.

At the beginning of the winter quarter Mr. Peterson began work in earnest. His efforts are reflected in the varied and interesting activities now available for all college students.

The greatest number of participants are to be found in the intramural basketball leagues, where ten to fifteen games are played weekly, depending on the varsity schedule and other major campus activities. Also among the list of sports offered are ping-pong, swimming, water polo, boxing, volleyball, badminton, and social dancing, the latter a recent addition to the program.

When the last snow has disappeared from the ground for the season and the thoughts and actions of people turn to the out-of-doors, Mr. Peterson will be prepared. Golf, tennis, softball, baseball, track and field, archery, soccer, and badminton will be among the activities available. Contests will be held in as many of the activities as is possible. The big event of the spring quarter will be the inter-class track and field meet. A golf tournament and a softball tournament will also be held.

Valuable assistance has been given Mr. Peterson by members of his class in intramurals and in officiating. The intramural commission has also been a great aid to the program. Members of the commission are Tony Rizzo, senior representative; Charles Beegs, junior representative; Basil Hoehn, sophomore representative; and Kenneth Meeks, freshman representative.

**Horace Mann Defeats  
Pickering, 22 to 15**

The Horace Mann Cubs won their first West Nodaway League basketball game in three years yesterday afternoon by defeating the Pickering Ponies 22 to 15. The game was played on the College court.

Pickering won the second team game 11 to 8.

Fisher and Doran were the big scorers for the Cubs in the first team game, each getting four buckets. Hood led the visitors with four goals.

### The First Team Box Score:

	Horace Mann (22)	Pickering (15)
Anderson.....	4 0	1 0
Wormsley.....	3 2	1 0
Foster.....	2 7	2 7
Gates.....	2 7	2 7
Otte.....	2 6	2 6
Hutson.....	2 4	2 4
Brown.....	2 4	2 4
Morgan.....	2 1	2 1
Black.....	2 0	2 0
Cobb.....	2 0	2 0
R. Davis.....	2 0	2 0
Lasley.....	2 0	2 0

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Lasley..... 20—Phi Sigs

**Younger Leader B Team**

In the last ten minutes a flock of substitutes went in for both clubs and the Bears continued to rack up the goals.

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The Maryville lineup for the B game consisted of Cegelski, French, Wohlford, N. Meyer, Younger, Todd, Lepley, Bennett, Gill and Overmiller.

Dieterich and Peterson worked the B team game.

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## Random Shots . . .

Gene Cross incurred an injury in the Rockhurst game, a charley horse. This injury may impair his effectiveness if it returns during the season.

A brief look at the roster discloses the fact that a great number of freshmen are on the squad, a fact indicating good things in store.

The Bearcat scoring has been fairly even, with Cross having a slight edge over Vlne Meyers. Cross has an even 50 points in four games.

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